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### **Prioritize Solving Urgent Challenges, Keep Oregon Growing**

*Statement from Senate Majority Leader Kate Lieber on the March 2024 Revenue Forecast*

**SALEM, OR** - Today, the Office of Economic Analysis' March 2024 Revenue Forecast indicated that Oregon's economy is continuing to stabilize and provided legislators with important information about funds available for investment during the 2024 session. **Senate Majority Leader Kate Lieber (D – Beaverton & SW Portland)** released the following statement in response:

*“Our economy is headed towards a strong landing because of hardworking Oregonians, and now, the legislature needs to step up and work just as hard for them.*

*Urgent challenges are holding Oregon back. We must take action in the short session to solve them. We need to build more homes and shelters to take on the homelessness and affordable housing crisis. We have to make significant changes to address the drug crisis, including investments in addiction prevention, drug treatment, public safety, and community clean up.*

*We must be smart and focused with Oregonians' hard-earned tax dollars to produce effective results and maintain stability in the long-term, given the uncertainty of future forecasts, but I'm confident we can deliver. When we turn these shared problems into shared solutions, we will grow an Oregon where every community is the best place to live, work, and raise a family.”*

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